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(57) Abstract: The present invention relates to a method to identify a true antagonist and an inverse agonist of a cannabinoid receptor (CB), and to discriminate between them. The invention further relates to the use of these true antagonists and inverse agonists in the treatment of CB associated disorders such as obesity, psychiatric and neurological disorders.